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The Honorable Anne Quinlan
Acting Secretary
Surface Transportation Board
395 E Street, SW
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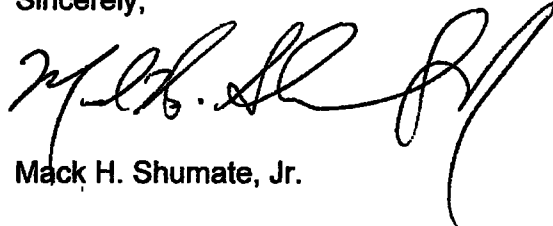
RE: Docket No. AB-33 (Sub-No. 260X)—Abandonment of the Millard Industrial Lead, from Milepost 19.4 to Milepost 22.85, in Douglas and Sarpy Counties, NE

Dear Secretary Quinlan:

This is to advise that Union Pacific Railroad Company ("UP") supports the request of the Nebraska Trails Foundation, Inc. and the Papio-Missouri River Natural Resources District to extend the trail use negotiation period in the above-referenced matter for a period of 180 days after October 17, 2009, to **April 15, 2010** (a copy of the request is attached hereto as Exhibit A). As the Board noted in its July 25, 2008 decision, only the portion of the line extending from Milepost 19.4 in La Vista to Milepost 22.1 in Omaha, Nebraska is subject to trail use negotiation.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,



Mack H. Shumate, Jr.

Attachment

cc: Ross Greathouse (Nebraska Trails Foundation)
David Scoby (Nebraska Trails Foundation)
Gerry Bowen (Papio-MO NRD)
Alissa Hackel (UP)



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October 13, 2009

Ann K. Quinlan, Secretary
Surface Transportation Board
315 E Street SW
Washington, D C 20423

RE: Surface Transportation Board Docket No. AB-33 (Sub. No. 260X)
Union Pacific Railroad Company Abandonment Exemption in
Douglas and Sarpy Counties, Nebraska

Dear Ms. Quinlan:

On February 20, 2009, the Board issued a decision in the above-referenced proceeding imposing a Notice of Interim Use (NITU) condition. The time period expired, and the Nebraska Trails Foundation, Inc. and the Papio-Missouri River Natural Resources District requested a 180-day extension which was granted on May 20, 2009 until October 17, 2009.

The Nebraska Trails Foundation, Inc. and the Papio-Missouri River Natural Resources District are requesting an additional 180-day extension. The UP has agreed to this additional request.

Thank you for your consideration.

Yours truly,

Ross Greathouse
For the Foundation
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